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1. ASSISTANT DIRGEN FOR EXTERNAL RELATIONS DAVID FISCHER, AFTER CONSULTATION BY PHONE WITH DIRGEN EKLUND, HAS REQUESTED MEETING WITH ME AND SOVIET ACTING RESREP ON FRIDAY AM JULY 14 TO DISCUSS EURATOM/ IAEA SAFEGUARDS NEGOTIATION SITUATION REFLECTED REFS A AND B. MEETING WILL BE CHAIRED BY ACTING DIRGEN I.S. ZHELUDEV.

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2. FISCHER TOLD US THAT PURPOSE OF MEETING IS TO CALL US AND SOVIET ATTENTION TO SERIOUSNESS OF PROBLEM CREATED BY EC GOVERNMENTS' REVERSAL OF EURATOM'S AD REFERENDUM AGREEMENT WITH IAEA (REFTELS) AND TO ENCOURAGE US AND USSR TO MAKE APPROACHES IN APPROPRIATE EC CAPTIALS.

3. MISSION BELIEVES, AS INDICATED REF A, THAT SITUATION IS SERIOUS ENOUGH TO WARRANT US APPROACH TO CAPITALS AND FEELS WE SHOULD INFORM IAEA REPS AT FRIDAY MEETING THAT US WILL BE DISCUSSING SITUATION IN APPROPRIATE EUROPEAN CAPITALS AND TELLING THESE CAPITALS OF OUR CONCERN THAT NEGOTIATIONS HAVE NOT RPT NOT MADE MORE PROGRESS SINCE THE IAEA BOARD MEETING IN JUNE. TO SAY THIS AT FRIDAY'S MEETING WILL UNDERLINE URGENCY AND IMPORTANCE US ATTACHES TO THIS QUESTION AND WILL ALSO MAKE IT CLEAR THAT US APPROACHES ARE QUITE INDEPENDENT OF WHATEVER SOVIETS MAY DO. I WILL, THEREFORE, PLAN TO TAKE THIS LINE AT FRIDAY MEETING UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED.

4. AGENCY EXPECTS (AND THIS CONFIRMED BY EURATOM REP IN VIENNA) THAT RESULT OF JULY 10 MEETING IN BRUSSELS, NOTED PARA 4 REF A, WILL BE SPECIFIC COUNTERPROPOSALS (WHICH AGENCY REPS ARE CONFIDENT THEY WILL NOT RPT NOT BE ABLE TO ACCEPT) ON THE ISSUES IDENTIFIED IN REFTELS WHICH DIRGEN TOLD BOARD OF GOVERNORS JUNE 6 HAD BEEN RESOLVED BY IAEA AND EURATOM.

5. WE WILL FORWARD OUR DETAILED RECOMMENDATIONS ON NATURE OF APPROACHES TO BE MADE IN CAPITALS AFTER MEETING ON FRIDAY AND ONCE DETAILS OF EC COUNTER-CONFIDENTIAL

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PROPOSALS ARE KNOWN IN VIENNA (THESE HAVE BEEN PROMISED TO IAEA JULY 14). KIRK

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